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Department of Education

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TO: Child Nutrition Program Administrators

FROM: Rick Hall, Team Leader
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SUBJECT: ASFSA Scholarships

Dear Sponsor,

We are excited to announce the availability of scholarships to assist you in providing training for your staff! The Arizona Department of Education wants to help you provide training to your employees because we are aware of the difficulties with training staff about current food service practices.

In June, ADE sent your district the training tool, "Training Pathways for School Food Service Professionals," to help you plan your staff's training. Use the "Training Pathways Guide" to help you identify areas where training is needed and the "Training Resources" to find available resources.

Your district can apply for a scholarship up to \$500.00 to purchase training materials, send staff members to training workshops, and/or pay a trainer to conduct an on-site training session in order to improve your staff's on-the-job performance. The scholarship recipients will be chosen according to guidelines set by the Arizona School Food Service Association.

If you are interested in applying for a scholarship, complete and return the attached form by March 1, 2002 to the address listed on the form. If you have questions, please contact Kendell Paty, AzSFSA President, at 602-629-6440. Good luck!